



**Laura, 13**

**My Favorite Things:**

I like to draw and play field hockey. I also like braiding my dog's hair and sleeping. I really enjoy many genres of music. I especially like soothing music, which helps me relax, but I also like Ozzy Osbourne.

**Things I do not like:**

I hate rice because of a bad experience when I was younger involving bad rice.

**Favorite Foods:**

I love the soda Moxie. I also really like ranch dressing. I loved Venison when I was younger, but haven't had any recently.

**What I want in a family:**

I want a family who will give me more opportunities than I had living with my birth family. I want a family who will take me shopping. I would like a mom, two moms or a mom and a dad. I would consider two dad's, but I need to think more about that. I would be ok with other children in the home, but probably only if they are older than me.

**What I want families to know about me:**

When I was younger I didn't care about hygiene, or how I looked, but I'm the opposite now. I spend a lot of time making sure I look good. I like joking around. I'm also brutally honest. I am outgoing around my friends, but a little more reserved around people I don't know so well. I enjoy going to the Humane Society to spend time with the animals there. I would like to volunteer there sometime.

**That we want families to know about the youth:**

Laura would like a family where she will have the opportunity to be a child and have fun and develop her talents. A family able to spend time with her and also allow her to have some alone time. A family willing to work as part of a team to help her grow and develop. Laura has developed some relationships over her lifetime that she would like to continue to have.

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